Government would consider the resettlement issue at an appropriate time as per its policy/ guidelines in this regard.

Central assistance under AIBP for Gujarat

2014 SHRI VIJAYKUMAR RUPANI: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) how much Central assistance under Accelerated Irrigaiton Benefit Programme (AIBP) is claimed by the State Government of Gujarat in the years, 2006-07 and 2007-08; and

(b) out of these, how much central assistance under AIBP is allotted to the Government of Gujarat in the years 2006-07 and 2007-08?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV): (a) Central assistance claimed by the Government of Gujarat under Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (AIBP) during 2006-07 and 2007-08 were Rs. 315.90 crore and Rs. 1270.28 crore respectively.

(b) Central assistance released under AIBP during 2006-07 was Rs. 121.8885 crore and during 2007-08 so far as Rs. 350 crore.

Sea erosions at Kerala coast

2015. SHRI ABDUL WAHAB PEEVEE: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pelased to state:

(a) whether Government is aware that coastal belt of Kerala is severely affected by sea erosions every year causing considerable loss of land and property;

(b) whether proposals for works related to coastal protection have been received from the State Government;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the action taken by Government thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV): (a) to (d)Yes Sir. A proposal of "Constructing sea wall in district Thrissur" at an estimated cost of Rs. 3 00 crore was received from the State Government of Kerala. During X Plan, first instalment of central share amounting to Rs. 50 lakhs was released to the Government of Kerala in March, 2004. The State Government has been requested to send the requisite information for release of 2nd instalment of Rs. 1.75 crore.

Besides the above the 12th Finance Commission has also awarded an amount of Rs. 175 crore to the State of Kerala for anti-sea erosion works (for the period of 2006—2010) to undertake constructions of sea walls and groynes in Thiruvananthapuram, Kollam, Alappuzha, Ernakulam, Thrissur, Manjeri, Kozhikode, Thalessery and Kasaragode Divisions.